

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeal and Interferences**

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:			
Inventor(s):	SEED, Steven et al.	Atty. Dkt.:	2711-0040
Appln. No.:	10/073,938	Group Art:	2143
Filing Date:	February 14, 2002	Examiner:	Bilgrami, Asghar
Title of Invention:	MANAGED OBJECT REPLICATION AND DELIVERY	Date:	March 7, 2007

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
P O Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>NOTICE OF APPEAL:</b> Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision (not Advisory Action) dated September 11, 2006 of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting claim(s) in this application or in this application and its parent application.
2	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>BRIEF</b> on appeal in this application attached in <u>triplicate</u> (extendable up to 5 months).
3	<input type="checkbox"/>	An <b>ORAL HEARING</b> is respectfully requested under Rule 194 (due two months after Examiner's Answer – <u>unextendable</u> ).
4	<input type="checkbox"/>	Reply Brief is attached in <u>triplicate</u> (due two months after Examiner's Answer – <u>unextendable</u> ).
5	<input type="checkbox"/>	"Small entity" statement filed: <input type="checkbox"/> herewith <input type="checkbox"/> previously.
6	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee <u>NOT</u> required if/since paid in prior appeal in which the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences did <u>not</u> render a decision on the merits (35 USC 134).

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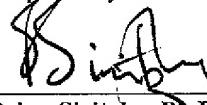
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